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A SULPHURIC ROMANCE

Of ten thousand things contributing, unnoticed, to the success of the war, any one of which would ordinarily be exploited as a story of American enterprise, is revealed by Secretary Lane in his report. He tells a story which might be called with literal truth a sulphuric romance.

We need sulphuric acid for many purposes, military, industrial and agricultural. The secretary of the interior was concerned primarily with the need of this acid to "cut the phosphate rock into fertilizer for southern cotton."

It happens that the supply hitherto has been obtained largely from Spanish Epyrite. The ore required ships for transportation, and as ships became scarce, the supply fell off alarmingly.

The secretary and his departmental experts, poring over a map of southern ore deposits, with a view to placing a new nitrate plant, happened to notice that the geological survey had indicated the presence of pyrite in a stretch of mountains running from Georgia to central Alabama. Just then there happened to drop into the office a capable and public spirited southern manufacturer, looking for

ing under the spotlight!" he urged. "I'm not a prima donna, but a man's job, something somebody else would shy at!" "I don't find the pyrite ore in your southern hills?" asked Lane.

"Never heard of the stuff. But if it's there, and you say it's there, I'll get it."

And he did. Today there are five mines yielding 400 tons a day. The yield will be 1,000 tons a day. That saves us the use of 1,000 big ships, and saves us the cost of pyrite, too.

Only one more victory won by a modest colonel of industry! The country's full of men doing that sort of thing. We'll hear more about them some day.

THE GIRLS OF ALSACE

An official denial has come from Germany to Alsace that the Germans forced all the girls under 17 who were carried away from their homes last year to work for the German army. The statement came from the German under-secretary of war. He says only half of the girls carried off have been forced to work, and only 8 1/2 per cent of them are under 17. He promises that all those under 17 will be released, and that those "actively employed in work will be given the benefits of moral and religious supervision."

This is reassuring. We have been wrong to impute all this extreme cruelty and injustice to the Germans. They have not been forcing all those little girls to work. They have been only half as cruel and unjust as we thought. They have only made half of them work by force.

(One wonders about the other half. Are they working voluntarily, or are they engaged in an occupation which Germans do not dignify by the name of labor but which decent people regard as much worse?)

Anyhow, it's at least reassuring that the Germans have been brought to the point where they have to make explanations and promises instead of openly gloating over their acts. And if the Alsatian deputy in the Reichstag succeeds in getting only two or three little girls out of Hun clothes he will have accomplished a good deal for humanity.

WILHELM THE DSMOCRAT

We'd like to believe all those stories printed recently about the emperor having a change of heart, and relinquishing his autocratic powers. Some of the dispatches from Holland, and some of the American comments on them, would have us believe that Wilhelm is becoming quite democratic, and encouraging democracy among his people.

There is no question that Wilhelm is in a humbler frame of mind than he was a year or two ago. But that is not necessarily attributable to any political and moral conversion. He foresees inevitable destruction for German autocracy and disgrace for the Hohenzoller family if the war continues much longer. He wants to save what he can while the saving's good. So he makes concessions which, in the light of his former arrogant demands, appear comparatively liberal. He gives his cabinet and his Reichstag a little more authority. He pats the German people on the back a little more unctuously. It suggests less intolerable terms for a peace settlement. He snorts a little less flame and smoke.

But his utmost concessions, however heralded by German editors as proof of the democratization of the German government, are unconvincing. To intelligent outsiders they are not proofs of repentance. They are not yet liberal enough; and if they were, there is nothing to indicate that the Allies can afford to trust them. As yet every proffer is too equivocal, and has too many strings tied to it.

REPRISALS

The British at last are making reprisals for the German air raids. They have been sending airplanes to bomb undefended German cities with no thought of military advantage, but for the sole purpose of showing the German people themselves the nefarious sort of work their own army has been doing in England and France.

Every normally decent human being must regret that the war has come to this pass. But few Americans can find it in their heart to condemn the new policy. It is done not in blind hatred, but coolly and sorrowfully, with the purpose of preventing further murders of the same sort.

It may be assumed that the British planes engaged in these expeditions are careful to drop messages telling the Germans in unmistakable language why they are engaged in that greswome task. And surely the method will have some effect. It cannot be that the Germans at home have realized the horrors their own representatives have been perpetrating. If they have known, and approved, they will surely see the matter in a different light when they find the ruthless slaughter of the enemy's innocent women and children coming home to them.

We hope this ugly business will be over with before we ourselves get into the fray. We don't like to think of Americans dropping bombs on women and children.

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DRY'S ACTION PREMATURE, SENSATIONAL SAY

Members of the General Assembly opposed to the adoption by the Kentucky Legislature of the Federal plan to amend the national constitution in the interest of prohibition express the opinion that the resolution offered in the Senate and the House Tuesday by members of the Democratic Forward League to that end, was premature in the absence of a Federal notification on the subject.

Mrs. A. L. Chalmers Watson, who has been appointed to direct the work of the thousands of women who are serving with the British army in France, was the first woman to receive a medical degree from Edinburgh University.

ENDORSED AT HOME

Such Proof as This Should Convince Any Mayeville Citizen.

The public endorsement of a local citizen is the best proof that can be produced. None better, none stronger can be had. When a man comes forward and testifies to his fellow-citizens, addresses his friends and neighbors, you may be sure he is thoroughly convinced or he would not do so. Telling one's experience when it is for the public good is an act of kindness that should be appreciated. The following statement given by a resident of Mayeville adds one more to the many cases of Home Endorsement which are being published about Doan's Kidney Pills. Read it.

Frank Taylor, Prop. barber shop, 401 E. Second St., Mayeville, says: "A few months ago, I had a slight attack of kidney trouble and my kidneys were irregular in action. The kidney secretions were too frequent in passage and then again, were scanty and highly colored. I had a dull, steady ache through the small of my back and my back was weak. Four boxes of Doan's Kidney Pills, which I got at Chasler's Drug Store, cured me of the complaint."

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ALAS! MISSISSIPPI HAS GRABBED
THE CHEELED FROM GRIPPS
AND PERCY

Jackson, Miss. January 8—Fifteen minutes after the subject was presented in Gov. Bilbo's message to the State Legislature both houses today ratified the proposed prohibition off.

amendment to the Federal Constitution. Only eight dissenting votes were cast. The Mississippi Assembly is the first to act on the proposed amendment.

Justice Goff of New York has ruled that women lawyers, then addressing the court, must do so with their hats on.

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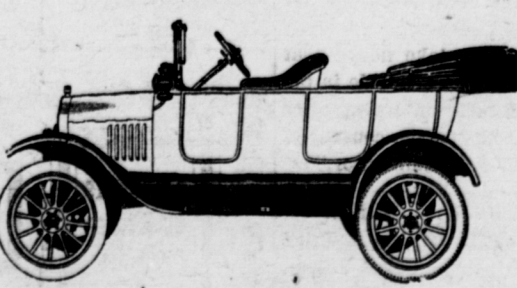
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Mr. Marion Holcomb, of Nancy, Ky., says: "For quite a long while I suffered with stomach trouble. I would have pains and a heavy feeling after my meals, a most disagreeable taste in my mouth. If I ate anything with butter, oil or grease, I would spit it up. I began to have regular sick headache. I had used pills and tablets, but after a course of these, I would be constipated. It just seemed to tear my stomach all up. I found they were no good at all for my trouble. I heard

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SPECIFIC WAR ARMS

Announced By President Wilson in Address to Congress Tuesday—Makes Fourteen Considerations for Just Peace.

In his address before Congress Tuesday President Wilson offered the following as necessary elements of world peace:

First—Open covenants of peace without private international understandings.

Second—Absolute freedom of the seas in peace or war except as they may be closed by international action.

Third—Removal of all economic barriers and establishment of equality of trade conditions among nations consenting to peace and associating themselves for its maintenance.

Fourth—Guarantees for the reduction of national armaments to the lowest point consistent with domestic safety.

Fifth—Impartial adjustment of all colonial claims based upon the principle that the peoples concerned have equal weight with the interest of the government.

Sixth—Evacuations of all Russian territory and opportunity for Russia's political development.

Seventh—Evacuation of Belgium without any attempt to limit her sovereignty.

Eighth—All French territory to be freed and restored, and reparation for the taking of Alsace-Lorraine.

Ninth—Readjustment of Italy's frontiers along clearly recognizable lines of nationality.

Tenth—Freest opportunity for autonomous development of the peoples of Austria-Hungary.

Eleventh—Evacuation of Rumania, Serbia and Montenegro, with access to the sea for Serbia, and international guarantees of economic and political independence and territory integrity of the Balkan States.

Twelfth—Secure sovereignty for Turkey's portion of the Ottoman Empire, but with other nationalities un-

der Turkish rule assured security of life and opportunity for autonomous development, with the Dardanelles permanently opened to all nations.

Thirteenth—Establishment of an independent Polish State, including territories inhabited by indisputably Polish populations, with free access to the sea and political and economic independence and territorial integrity guaranteed by international covenant.

Fourteenth—General assertion of nations under specific covenants for mutual guarantees of political independence and territorial integrity to large and small States alike.

"For such arrangements and covenants," said the President in conclusion, "we are willing to fight and continue to fight until the year achieved, but only because we wish the right to prevail and desire a just and stable peace." Such a programme, he said, removed chief provocations for war.

"The moral climax of this, the culminating and final war for human liberty has come," said the President in ending his address, "and they (the people of the United States) are ready to put their own strength, their own highest purpose, their own integrity and devotion, to the test."

DIPLOMATS SEE HOPEFUL SIGNS OF HUN CHANGE

Washington, January 9.—Preliminary reports indicated today Germany is not disposed to accept Lloyd George's peace terms as a basis for negotiations.

However, other advices showed Germany's liberals are beginning to assert themselves more strongly.

This gave some hope that internal reconstruction desired by the allies and the United States as a peace basis eventually will get under way.

The liberals' opposition to Germany's annexation plans for Russia was considered as perhaps the most hopeful sign the Teuton mind has shown.

While some here suggested if Germany were to get the slice of Russia she wishes peace could be obtained, the general feeling was that such a peace only would lead to trouble later.

Protection against future wars is one of the main things the allies want in any peace agreement.

Some authorities say that, with Britain's fleet intact and guarding ports all over the world, Britain will shut Germany off from further world trade, while with Germany's militarism existing she constantly will be a menace to peace.

Until these nations are willing to make concessions in these respects, peace will be difficult, experts say.

as dollars and cents are at the basis of every war.

In some quarters here there was an inclination to believe the first outbursts of the German press against Lloyd George's speech were government inspired and that later Germany will maneuver into some sort of peace negotiations.

Meantime, Germany's utter dishonesty, even with her own people, was proved clearly today by secret censorship regulations published by the State Department, showing complete press control.

Liberal speeches were suppressed; news of suspicious fires or disasters withheld; comment on foreign news of extreme political significance was colored to suit German government purposes; efforts were made to cheer the flagging spirits of the wearied Austrians.

One secret circular to the press held there was a certain amount of bluff about American war preparations, but added, "the fact must not be overlooked that the United States, with the support of its capacity for material and industrial management, is arming itself for war with great energy and tenacity."

Germany's food shortage was reflected in one memorandum saying, "Advertisements in which dogflesh is offered for sale are not allowed. Their acceptance is forbidden."

GERMAN CONTROL OF CHILEAN PAPER TRADE

Germany's prewar control of Chile's paper trade is described in detail in a report by Special Agent Robert S. Barrett, who has just finished an investigation of South American paper markets for the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce.

In 1913, Germany sold Chile 55 per cent of its total imports of paper, England 14 per cent, the United States 13 per cent, France 5 per cent, and Belgium and Spain each 4 per cent. Probably not more than half of the paper credited to Germany was manufactured in that country, but the organization for world-wide export and the large buying power of the Hamburg wholesale paper merchants enabled them to quote lower prices than their competitors.

Since the war started the United States has greatly increased its share of the trade, and Special Agent Barrett believes that if this new business is handled carefully, with an eye to the future, much of it can be made permanent. It will take many years for firms to live down bad impressions made at this time.

Copies of "Chilean Market for Paper, Paper Products, and Printing Machinery," Special Agents Series No. 153, can be purchased at 15 cents each from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C., or from any of the district or cooperative offices of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

UNITED STATES CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION

The United States Civil Service Commission announces an open competitive examination for clerk with knowledge of stenography or typewriting, for both men and women on January 18, 1918, to be held at the Maysville, Ky., Post Office. Vacancies in clerical positions requiring some knowledge of stenography or typewriting in the Departmental Service at Washington, D. C., at entrance salaries ranging from \$900 to \$1,200 a year, will be filled from this examination.

Applicants should at once apply for Form 304 (application blank) and Form 1424 stating the title of the examination desired, to the United States Civil Service Board, Washington, D. C., or Secretary of Sixth Civil Service District, Cincinnati, O.

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East Bound Arrives
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No. 2..... 1:40 p. m.
No. 16..... 2:00 p. m.
No. 18..... 3:35 p. m.
No. 4..... 10:43 p. m.
West Bound Arrives
No. 19..... 6:25 a. m.
No. 5..... 6:50 a. m.
No. 17..... 10:00 a. m.
No. 1..... 3:05 p. m.
No. 7..... 4:47 p. m.
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GARRY HERMANN

Again Heads National Commission—
Hreyfus Denies Rumor He Traded
Mamaux For Wheat and
Cuthaw.

Cincinnati, Ohio, January 9 — August Hermann was re-elected chairman and John E. Bruce was re-elected secretary of the National Baseball Commission, at the annual meeting of the commission here yesterday.

Owing to the fact that only minor matters were to be considered by the commission, the interest centered in a number of deals that were being attempted by various big league clubs.

Early in the day a rumor from a well authenticated source had Brooklyn giving Zack Wheat and Cuthaw for Pitcher Al Mamaux, of Pittsburgh and a cash consideration.

Barney Dreyfus of the Pittsburgh club, when questioned concerning the rumor, said:

"It sounds good, but it is untrue. That's the only bad part of it."

The rumor gained credence, however, owing to the large number of private discussions that took place between Ebbets and Dreyfus.

Another rumor that would not down but which likewise was given official denial, was that Catcher Snyder, of the St. Louis Nationals, had been sold to the Pittsburgh club. Jack Hendricks, manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, said:

"Snyder has not been sold to anybody and there are good chances that he will be with the Cardinals when the season opens."

To all appearances the much talked of deal whereby the Chicago Nationals would get Hornsby, of St. Louis, has fallen through. President Wehman, of the Chicago club, offered four players and an amount of money reported to have been \$50,000, for Hornsby, but this was turned down by the St. Louis management. Wehman announced that this was his very best offer, and that he was through trying.

Herzog Traded to Braves

New York, January 9—The New York National League club announced last night that it had traded Second Baseman Charles L. Herzog, captain of last year's championship club, to the Boston Nationals for Second Baseman Lawrence Doyle and Pitcher Jesse Barnes.

The transaction closed a big three-cornered deal involving the Chicago, New York and Boston clubs. Chicago recently sent Doyle and Catcher Wilson to Boston in exchange for Pitcher Tyler.

Doyle returns to the club with which he won his greatest fame, as he played with the New York Nationals from 1907 until he was traded near the end of the 1916 season, with two young layers—Hunter and Jackson—to Chicago for Henry Zimmerman. Doyle captained the Giant's champions of 1911, 1912 and 1913.

Herzog now has figured in five different deals made by the New York club. He came to the Giants in 1909 and in 1910 Herzog and Outfielder William Collins were traded to Boston for Outfielder Beals Becker. In mid-season of 1911 New York got him back from Boston in exchange for Shortstop Al Bridwell and Catcher Hank Gowdy.

FLEMINGSBURG VS. MAYSVILLE FRIDAY NIGHT

The Flemingsburg H. S. basketball team will play Maysville H. S. team Friday night. This game was scheduled for Flemingsburg, but owing to repairs being made to the High School building in that city, the game will be played here. Game called at 7:45. An effort is being made to arrange a game between the girl teams of Maysville and Augusta High Schools the same evening.

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GERMAN LINES PENETRATED

Surprise Attack East of St. Mihiel Results in Victory for Petain's Men—Gen. Haig Indicates Allies Have Little Fear of Proposed Attack.

French troops in the Woivre have enlivened the virtual inactivity on the Western front by successfully completing a sortie into the German lines east of St. Mihiel. The German positions on a one-mile front were penetrated and 178 prisoners and some machine guns captured. After destroying the defenses and shelters, the French returned to their own lines.

The French also made an attempt against the enemy lines near Ammerzweiler, in Alsace, according to Berlin, which claims the thrust was repulsed. Paris announces the checking of German attempts in the region of Mont Teton, in Champagne. Meanwhile the artillery duel northeast of Verdun and in upper Alsace continues active.

German troops, in a local attack east of Bullecourt, west northwest of Cambrai, entered the British trenches, but a counter-attack ejected the enemy, who left eighteen prisoners in the hands of the British. Berlin reports the failure of a British thrust on the Boesinghe-Staden railway, northeast of Ypres. The German artillery is still active in the Ypres sector.

Bad weather on the Italian front has reduced infantry operations to a minimum, but the artillery is busy on the northern line between Asiago and the Piave.

Field Marshal Sir Douglas Haig, in his review of the 1917 campaign up to mid-November, says that the additional strength the Germans have gained from the Russian and Italian failures has largely been discounted. He declares that the ultimate destruction of the German armies has been brought appreciably nearer. The offensive campaign planned for 1917 failed of completion, but on the Western front the allies gained the victories of Arras, Vimy, Messines, Flanders, Verdun, Champagne and the Aisne.

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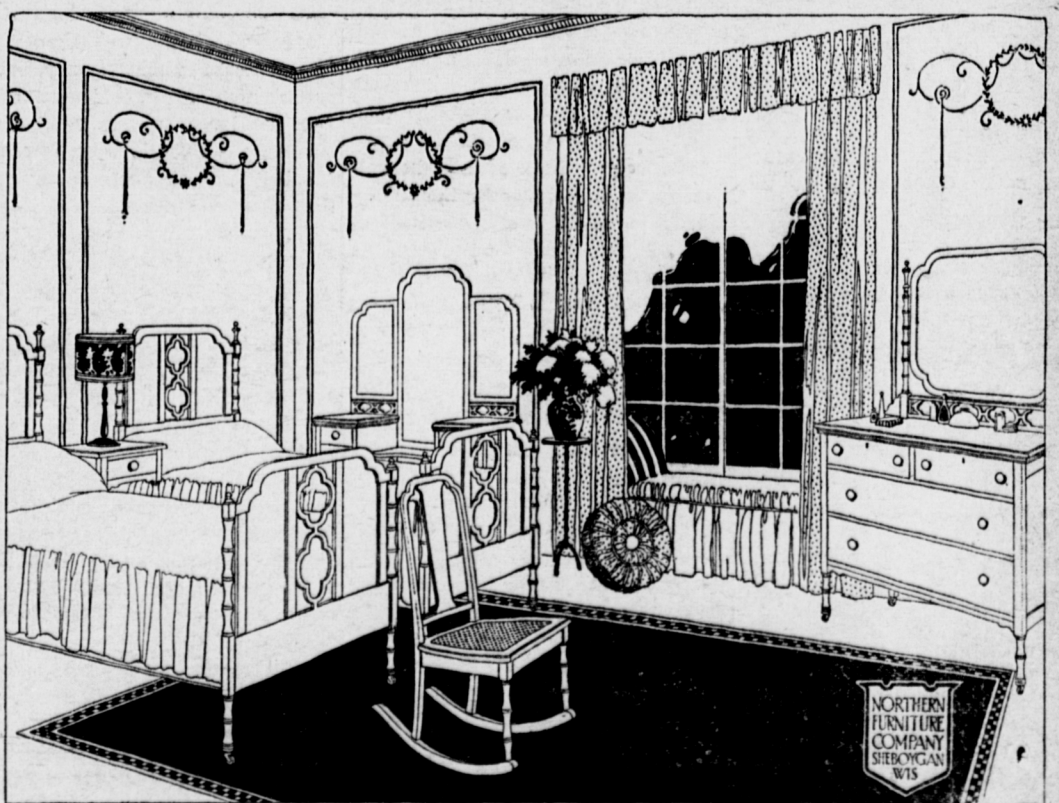
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Personals

Elton and wife, of German were shopping in this city yesterday.

Miss Sara Metcalfe Piper of Carnegie, is visiting her aunt, Miss Sallie Hanklin, of East Third street.

Miss Frances Power, of Aberdeen, is the pleasant guest of Miss Elizabeth Allen, during the blockade of the river.

Mr. and Mrs. June Clarke returned yesterday from a short bridal trip to Washington City and other points in the East. They will shortly begin housekeeping in one of the Kirk apartments, on West Second street.

BREAK IN ICE GORGE IS NEAR

Rivermen were taking all precautions Wednesday to strengthen moorings of craft in preparation for a break in the Ohio River ice gorge within 24 hours.

It was believed unlikely the ice would withstand pressure resulting from a movement of the gorge at Portsmouth, O., early Wednesday.

Full effect of the break at Portsmouth, rivermen said, would not be felt at Cincinnati before Thursday. Movement of the ice in the Kanawha River, near Charleston, which caused great damage to river boats there, also is exerting pressure on the gorge here.

CHICAGO DIGGING OUT OF HUGE SNOW BANKS

Chicago, January 9—After nearly five days, during which thousands of men, women and children have suffered from morning till night to clear the streets of snow, Chicago today still was struggling to free itself of the great drifts left by Sunday's blizzard, which tied up traffic to such an extent that the city practically was without milk for two days and faced a serious fuel famine.

Today, although many outlying streets still are impassable, the situation appeared brighter, and by another day it is thought the city will be in something like a normal condition.

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